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CLAIMS

- 1. A curable composition comprising:
 - (i) a compound (A) having at least two unsaturated groups which are activated for Michael addition,
 - (ii) a compound (B) having at least two activated
 hydrogen atoms,
 - (iii) a tertiary organic phosphine (C), and
 - (iv) a carboxylic acid (D).

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2. A curable composition according to claim 1, wherein the molar ratio of the unsaturated groups from the compound (A) and the activated hydrogen atoms from the compound (B) (former:latter) is in a range from 4:1 to 1:4.

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- 3. A curable composition according to claim 1, wherein the tertiary alkyl phosphine (C) is present in an amount of 0.1-10% by weight.
- 20 4. A curable composition according to claim 1, wherein the carboxylic acid (D) is present in an amount of 0.05-10% by weight.
 - 5. A curable composition according to claim 1, wherein the carboxylic acid (D) is a saturated fatty acid having a molecular weight of 80 or less.

- 6. (Canceled)
- 7. A crosslinked coating obtained from the curable composition
- 5 according to any one of claims 1 to 5.